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IF YOU ARE NO LONGER GROWING FLOWERS WILL YOU KINDLY HAND THIS LIST TO A FRIEND WHO
IS FOND OF FLOWERS. THANK YOU!

This List Cancels All Previous Prices.

## PRICE LIST 1944

# GLADHAVEN GARDENS

George G. Fowler, Prop.

North Main Street

Franklin, N. H.

I wish to extend to you my friends thanks for your patronage in the past and best wishes for your Health, Happiness and Prosperity in the New Year. The outlook is brighter this year than last for the termination of a horrible war. We must continue to buy War Bonds however, and if we have any money left, what is better than to grow a few flowers to brighten our life. I expect many of us will need flowers more than ever this year.

This may be my last price list. Please file this price list away for future use up to February 1st, 1945, as I may not issue a list in 1945. Will accept orders for bulbs on this list while my stock lasts subject to conditions here printed. We had a hard time to grow and harvest our bulbs in 1943 with growing a number of other crops for food.

I find we are not as young as we were when we began growing and selling gladiolus bulbs over 20 years ago. There is a shortage of gladiolus bulbs, many growers have gone out of business, so I would suggest you place your orders early and have them shipped when wanted. If you wait until you are ready to plant I am afraid it will be hard to fill your order. My supply is limited now.

Cordially yours,

GEO. G. FOWLER and MRS. FOWLER.

#### CONDITIONS OF SALE

All prices are subject to the following conditions and change without notice.

(a) Any Federal or State tax that may be imposed on sales. (b) Stock on hand when order is received. (c) No bulbs shipped C. O. D. without a deposit of 25% of the order. (d) No minimum lot split, and no single item less than 10c. (e) Every order for not less than \$1 will be shipped prepaid to any of the 48 states in U. S. On orders less than \$1 add 10c for postage and packing.

#### GUARANTEE

I guarantee that the gladiolus bought from me will be true to name and properly cured for planting spring of 1944. Cannot guarantee crop or anything depending on cultivation or weather.

References: Franklin National Bank, Dun & Bradstreet.

#### READ CAREFULLY

The first column of figures lists the smallest or minimum lot of a kind put up. The price would be thus for two or more bulbs, 2—10 meaning two bulbs for 10c. No single item for less than 10c. 5 bulbs for half the 10 rate.

#### SIZE OF BULBS

Large bulbs are 1¼ inches and over in diameter, medium size are ¾ to 1¼, averaging 1 inch in diameter. Small bulbs are ¾ of an inch and under, most of which will make a small flowering spike and grow a good bulb for the next year. Medium bulbs usually give a very satisfactory spike.

#### FULL CULTURAL INSTRUCTIONS WITH EVERY ORDER

ORDER EARLY, use order sheet and state when you will want bulbs. It is safe to ship Express orders at any time. Mail orders are safer shipped after March 1st. A 25% deposit will reserve your order until May 1st. No orders reserved or shipped without a deposit.

Have your name and address on the outside of every letter you write. It may save a lot of bother later. WRITE PLAINLY, and be sure to give your correct address. I am a poor guesser.

I do not substitute one variety for another unless requested. If I am out of the size ordered I fill the order with bulbs of the next nearest size, giving as much or greater value. EARLY ORDER WILL AVOID SUBSTITUTION. YES, I generally give EXTRAS.

	Large	Size Bulbs	M	edium Size	Bulbs
	Price for	Dize Buibs			
Name and Color Description	smallest lot	per 10	per 25	per 10	per 25
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Affanna tall large flavored begania rece red	2—.14	60	\$1.00	.40	65
Aflame, tall, large flowered begonia rose-red	2—.14		1.00	.40	
Amador, large brilliant scarlet red, good large flower	214		1.00	.40	
A. V. Bunce, beautiful apricot, decorative	210	.50		.30	.50
Atlanta, tall lavender rose, darker blotch, pretty	214	.60	1.00	.40	
Ave Maria, light blue, reddish throat marks, very good	214	.60	1.00	.40	65
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Bancon large evence colmon even threat Denular	215	.65	1.25	.40	. 75
Beacon, large orange-salmon, cream throat. Popular  Bagdad, tall smoky old rose	214	.60		.40	114
Bella Donna, fine early light blue	214	.60		.40	
Betty Nuthall, late tall salmon-apricot, extra fine for cutting	214		1.00	.40	. 65
Bengal Beauty, mottled tiger red	215	.65	1.25		
Bill Sowden, large flowered deep blood red. Short spike	2—.12	.50		.30	.55
Black Opal, nearly black-red. Cut spike when starting to					
open	110	.80		.50	
Blue Admiral, large deep blue	215		1.25	.40	1
Blue Beauty, fine medium blue, strong grower	110	.80	1.00	.40	
Bonneville, tall large deep pink for cutting	214	.80	1.00	.50	
Buffette, best tall buff, extra good	1—.10	.00		.00	
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Chas. Fairbanks, medium early red	2—.12	.45	.75	.30	
Chas. Dickens, tall medium size purple	212	.50	.80	.35	18 9 19 19 19
Chief Multnomah, extra large smoky dark red. Showy Clingendaal, early large orange-red. Good tall spike to cut.	1—.12	1.25		.90	
Com. Koehl, large dark scarlet red	2—.14	.60		.40	
Coral Strand, large creamy shell pink	214		1.00	.40	
Corona, very large creamy flesh pink. A new and beautiful	all added to a	12 TOUR 1871	1900 E 171 OUL		
gladiolus.	125		1	<b>—</b> .15	
Coral Glow, beautiful orange-red	110	.80		.50	
Crinkles, much ruffled dainty deep rose	212	.50		.35	
Curls of Gold, large ruffled deep yellow	110	.80		.45	
Debonair, tall LaFrance pink, good	212	.50	.75	.30	. 50
Dorothy Wood, early deep salmon-pink	212	.50		.30	.50
Dream O' Beauty, large deep rose	214			.35	
Dr. Bennett, brilliant red, good size	214	.60		.35	
Duna, light creamy pink, good spike	214	.60	01	.35	. 60
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Early Rose, clean rose, darker throat, early and good	214	.60		.35	
E. I. Farrington, early light yellow	210	.35	.60	.30	50
Emma, large flowered salmon rose	212	.50		.35	. 60
Frederick Christ, large clean pink	2—.14	,60		.35	
Faust, short slaty red. Novelty	212	.50	200 200.000	.30	
Frank J. McCoy, tall dark pink, good spike to cut	2—.14	.60		.35	
Clariana algar galman nink	9 19	FO		200	
Gloriana, clear salmon pink	212	.50	1.00	.35	
Gloriola, tall salmon-peach Golden Chimes, large clean yellow	2—.15 2—.14	.60		.35	
Golden Cup, deep bronzy yellow	212	.50		.30	
Golden Dream, tall late yellow	212			.30	
Golden Lancer, tall orange yellow				.30	
Gov. Hanley, early dark garnet red	212	.50	- C.	.30	
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Hinemoa, deep rose, flecked chocolate, canary throat	2—.14	.60	1.00	.35	70
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Irene, beautiful tall pinkish salmon	212			.35	
Ivory Keys, large creamy white. Good	120				
Iwa, tall light geranium pink, rose blotch	212	.50	.75		7000,000
Jalna, smoky salmon, large flower, many open. Hard color					
to describe	2—.15			.40	75
James Fitz James, large brilliant dark blood red	1—.25	and service		115	
Jennie Jones, our own origination. Medium size flesh pink.		1	The same state of	VIS 144 VIII	I FULL
Good cut	2—.14				
Junita, large flowered delicate pale pink	214	.60			,

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Name and Color Description	Price for smallest				
Libelle, heliotrope blue, good spike	lot 2—.14	per 10	per 25	per 10 .35	per 25
Lavender Queen, new tall deep lavender	2—.14	.60	V. 2		.75
Loyalty, large spike late yellow	2—.14	.60	.80		
Maid of Orleans, fine early white	214	.60	1.00	.40	
Mary Elizabeth, tall ruffled creamy white. Canary throat	214	.60	.80	.40	
Margaret Fulton, early salmon rose	2—.12	.50	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	.30	.50
sold \$100	214	.65	51	.40	.75
Miss Elegance, tall cream, red throat lines	210	.40		.30/	
Margaret Beaton, large white, orange-scarlet blotch. Very					
showy  Miss New Zealand, one of the largest gladiolus, salmon-	110	.80	£	.50	
apricot, peach blotch	110	.80	7	.50	
Milford, a fine spike of nearly true medium blue	2—.14	.65		.40	
Minuet, the standard in lavenders	214	.65		.40	
Mother Machree, old reliable smoky, first sold at \$100 per bulb	214	.65		.40	
Mohawk, new deep maroon, 5 in florets on good spikes.	211	.00		.40	
Massive	1—.50		1	30	
Morocco, very dark red, nearly black	214	.65	3	.40	
Mrs. F. C. Peters, fine old lavender orchid, well liked Mrs. Olney Witbeck, big plume of light bright pink, extra	2—.12	.50		.30	
good	2—.14	.65	- 17	.40	
Myrna, large ruffled white	115	1.20	177	.80	
New Era, new ruffled rose pink	115	1.20		.80	
1910 Rose, clear medium rose pink, early	2—.12 2—.14	.50	.75	.30	.50
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Pelegrina, early deep violet blue	214	.60	.90	.35	.70
Picardy, very popular large salmon-pink	2—.14	.60	.80	.35	.70
Phyllis McQuiston, large light rose-pink	214	.60	.80	.35	.70
Pinnacle, tall spike rosy pink, well placed florets  Polar Ice, good early pure white	2—.14 2—.14	.60		.30	
Pearl Harbor, splendid new white, early and good spike.	a	.00		.00	
Was 75c	140	£		£	
Red Lory, carmine rose, purple blotch	2—.12 2—.14	.50		.30	
Red Roy, tall light red for cutting. Late	2—.14	.60		.35	
Red Phipps, large spike of real red	214	.60	.80	.35	.60
Rosalie, cream throat bordered with red, calico effect,		00		F-0	1 00
straight spike	1—.10	.90		.50	1.00
white, mostly pink	214	.60	1.00	.35	.60
Rosa van Lima, fine exhibition light rose	214			.35	
Romance, smoky salmon-rose, blue border	212		.75	.30	00
Royal Pink, very large reddish pink	1—.10	.80	1.25	.50	.90
School Days, our origination. Dainty variegated bright pink					
and white	125	7		<b>—</b> .10	
Seminole, large orange-yellow, red throat marks. Good	214	.60	,	.35	
Splendorra, fine dark wine red	2—.14 1—.10	.60		.35	
Smiling Maestro, large salmon-rose	2—.14	.60		.35	
Star of Bethlehem, large pure white	214	.60	-	.35	
St. Bruno, three rows of smoky red florets on tall spike.	1 95	100/	1	<b>—</b> .15	
Novelty	1—.25 2—.14	.60			
Veilchenblau, large dark violet blue	214	.60		.35	00
Vagabond Prince, mahogany brown, scarlet blotch. Novelty.	214	.60	.90	.40	.60
Vista Bonita, tall large clear pink, white creamy throat.  Good	2—.20	.80	1.25	.75	1.25
Wurtembergia, large bright red, cream throat	2—.14	.60	¥	.35	
Yellow Emperor, good large soft yellow	212	.50	.80	.30	.50
Yellow Wonder, early pale yellow	210	.40	.65	.30	.45
Zauberflote, large peach-rose, crimson blotch	214	.60	.90	.40	.65

#### SPECIAL GLADHAVEN ASSORTMENT

For those who do not care about names or who want glads for landscaping or cutting, I highly recommend this beautiful mixture comprising about every known shade in the gladiolus family. Not "loaded" with the old style small prims. All good sorts. For best results plant early in May as some will bloom in 60 days, some 75 days, some 90 days and some late varieties will take 100 days from planting. Figure what is the latest date you can have bloom before frost then go back 100 days and it will give you the latest date you should plant this assortment.

Large Bulbs	40c per doz.	50 for \$1.25	100 for \$2.25
Medium Bulbs	25c per doz.	50 for .75	100 for 1.25
Small Bulbs			100 for .60

Postpaid if order totals \$1

#### SURPLUS STOCK AT LESS THAN COST OF PRODUCTION

25 Bulbs of a size and Variety at same rate

NOT PREPAID. No order from following list for less than \$2

	Large Size	Medium Size	Small Size
Bill Sowden		\$1.25	.60
Debonair	\$2.25	\$1.25	.60
E. I. Farrington	\$2.00	\$1.00	.50
Faust		\$1.25	.60
Gladhaven Assortment	\$1.75	.90	.40
Yellow Wonder	\$2.00	\$1.25	2 240 18000000
Yellow Emperor	\$2.50	\$1.50	\$1.00

#### DAHLIAS

We have a few more of those fancy dahlia roots at \$1.25 a dozen, postpaid. Assorted colors, large flowered mostly. Cannot be shipped until after April 1st.

#### IRIS ROOTS

Beautiful hardy iris, no two alike, unlabeled. Grow well in any good garden soil, full sun or partial shade if not too moist. 12 large blooming size plants, \$1 postpaid. Shipped anytime between June 15th and Sept. 1st. June planting best.

#### GLADIOLUS BULBLETS

Assorted, comprising most of my best kinds. 300 for 25c

Mailed postpaid with other bulbs. For best results plant last of April or early May. Make blooming size bulbs first year.

#### SAF-T STORAGE POWDER FOR GLADIOLUS

My own preparation I have used for many years on my bulbs in storage. About 1 ounce to 100 large bulbs dusted on in storage and left on when planted. Promotes growth of bulb and discourages thrips. Price 25c per 1 pound bag at Garden. Prepaid with bulb orders of \$1 or more, or in lots of 4 pounds.

By reading this list carefully you can save a lot of unnecessary correspondence.

Unpack your bulbs at once when received and store in a cool place until ready to plant. DO NOT LET YOUR BULBS FREEZE AT ANY TIME.

If you have THRIPS in your garden or on your bulbs, soaking the bulbs in a solution of corrosive sublimate, 1 ounce to 7 gallons of water over night at planting will help.

When you dig your bulbs in the fall be sure to have them well dried out before placing in winter storage, and don't neglect cleaning off the old bulb and roots on the base of the bulb soon after going into storage. Do not remove the husks before planting time in the spring. After cleaning, storage powder may be scattered over them at the rate of an ounce to 100 large bulbs.

### GLADHAVEN GOLDEN HULL-LESS POP CORN

I am again offering seed of my improved hull-less pop corn. I have been improving this high grade corn by selection and crossing for a number of years until I believe I have the finest quality pop corn grown. A slight cross from golden bantam sweet corn has improved the flavor. This corn is very early for pop corn, 130 days from planting to popping. The seed I sell is from choice selected ears grown in 1943. Those who have been growing tough corn with a field corn flavor and a large number of "old maids" in the bottom of the popper find it hard to believe pop corn can be so sweet and tender. Many people dry out pop corn too much; once properly dried, store in a cool dry closet. Kept in a warm room it will soon refuse to pop. Plant at same time you plant sweet corn in your locality. Hen manure and superphosphate well mixed about a pint to a hill, but away from contact with the seed, is about the best fertilizer for pop corn. TRY IT. Don't let over five stalks grow to the hill and have the hills at least  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 feet apart. Two ounce package, 18c postpaid.